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KRIEGER'S FATE
TO JURY TODAYState's Attorneys Begin
Arguments in Trial's
Close.

ATTACK DEFENSE ALIBI

Special Attorney Owen in
Long Address Flays
I. W. W. Doctrines.

CHARGES CRIME TO KRIEGER

Alleges Defendant Believes
in Reign of Force; Final
Plea Come Saturday.

Shall men inspired by the beliefs of the I. W. W. organization go unpunished when they act under the ideas put forth by the writers and organizers of this movement? were the closing words of the argument of Attorney L. G. Owen, special prosecutor, who last night in district court opened the states arguments in the case of the state of Oklahoma against Charles Krieger, charged with conspiracy to dynamite the home of J. E. Pew in this city on the night of October 29, 1917.

"Krieger had the capacity to commit such a dastardly deed, and as only a few men in this United States have," Owen declared. "The men whom he employed, John Hall, Hallock, and Frank Hagen, low down in the scale of humanity, might have committed the crime, but they were not men who would have originated the crime. They were criminals, to whom I am referring, to Krieger, not pay, but the carrying out of the ideas and teachings of the I. W. W. were of greatest importance and it is this defendant who on the days previous to the destruction of Pew's home, wherein the life and health of Pew himself, his wife and two children were endangered, conspired with John Hall for the commission of the crime which was later consummated. Only the mind of a man deranged by I. W. W. teachings could conceive this crime and cause it to be carried out," said Owen.

"There wasn't any money or valuable out at the Pew home to tempt Hall, Vowels and Hagen to place and explode the dynamite under the home. These men were influenced by another mind who in their error believed there was something to be gained by placing in jeopardy the life of Pew and his family, and that mind was Krieger's."

The testimony, oral and read by counsel, shows the I. W. W. against our form of government. They have no sympathy for us; they are opposed to any form of government, they believe any taxpayer a capitalist. When Krieger on the witness stand denied he believed in the doctrine of the organization of which he was a member, he was told that at that time, applying the doctrine of the order, by denying his affiliation with it. Do you suppose Sorrels and the other I. W. W. organizers, would have counselled him to deny his affiliation with the organization if I didn't think that a general strike would lead to a revolution in this country. Krieger did not support without reservation every word of the organization, do you believe that the I. W. W. defense fund collected from members all over the country, would have contributed to his defense."

The question of right or wrong, by the statements of their writers and their constitution, does not enter into this case."

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JAPS DENY OUR CLAIM

In Note on Siberian Situation Charge
Refuted Their Troops Fail to
Do Full Part.

TOKYO, Sunday, Nov. 7.—The Japanese government, in its reply just forwarded to Washington, to the American note of last September, complaining of a lack of co-operation by Japanese troops in the operation of the trans-Siberian railway, draws a sharp distinction between the military protection of the railroad which it is willing to undertake, and obedience to the orders and instructions of the chamber of commerce commission under John W. Stevens or the subsidiary railway board, which it is in no wise contemplated.

The correspondence of the Associated Press finds that the note, which is moderate in tone, and contains a diplomatic document, bears evidence of the exceeding care expended upon its composition, declares that no information in the possession of Japan bears out the contention in the note of the American government that Japanese troops have flatly refused to protect the lives or property of allied railroad employees in the territory controlled by the Japanese general Semenov. The note contains the opinion that the American contention is based upon some misunderstanding and suggests that any concrete facts upon which the Japanese government would be glad to furnish material which might explain the Japanese side of the case.

ADDITIONAL RECEPTION
OHIO WETS BEAT
DRY AMENDMENTPreamble Requiring
Acceptance By 3
Powers Approved

DEADLOCK IS PLANNED

Democrats to Defeat Ratification in Hope for
Compromise.

WILSON HOLDING OUT

Opposes Republican Program; Leaves Fight to
Treaty's Friends.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The first affirmative step toward qualification of the peace treaty was taken today by the senate, after administration leaders, with the backing of President Wilson, had reaffirmed their intention of voting against ratification if the reservations drawn by the senate majority are adopted.

The initial test of strength on the reservation program of the foreign relations committee found the republicans almost solidly united behind it, the group of mild reservationists who helped kill the committee's amendments and the irreconcilable group of treaty foes standing together for the first time since the long treaty fight began.

By a vote of 48 to 40, the senate approved, after all efforts to amend it had failed, the committee's preamble to the reservation group, requiring that at least three of the four great powers must accept the senate qualifications. The only republican who did not swing into line for the proposal was Senator McCumber of North Dakota, while three democrats, Senator Reed of Missouri, Gore of Oklahoma, and Walsh of Massachusetts, voted with the majority.

The first of the 14 reservations was under debate, and republican leaders were claiming they had safe majorities pledged for the entire group. The mild reservationists, it was declared, had turned down a new democratic offer of compromise, while the irreconcilable wing was devising a plan of action by which they hoped to defeat the treaty entirely. The best claim made by the administration forces was that the treaty would be wedged into a deadlock which, in the end would make a compromise inevitable.

LOWDEN AND COOLIDGE

That Is Ticket Proposed in Launching
Campaign of Former at Meeting
of Illinois Republicans.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 7.—In a speech here tonight before republican editors of the state, launching the candidacy of Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, for the presidency, Congressman William A. Rodenburg of East St. Louis, presented the name of Governor Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts as a running mate for Lowden. The mention of Governor Coolidge's name was applauded.

Significance was attached to the linking of the two names because of the fact that Congressman Rodenburg has been picked to make Lowden's nominating speech on the floor of the national convention.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 7.—Condemning "bohemianism and socialism" in industry, declaring "any attempt to array class against class, section against section, race against race," Will H. Hays, chairman of the republican national committee, speaking before the Republican Editorial association here tonight, declared the country's need now was for "thoroughness, square deal—exact justice for labor, exact justice for capital, and exact justice for the public."

"Our difficulties are largely economic," Hays declared. "The industrial problems in this country, which at the moment seem to be overwhelming, can be and, I have implicit faith, will be solved by the exact finding exact justice and enforcing it."

KANSAS MOB MAKES MISTAKE

Kidnap Farmer Thinking Him to Be
Speaker for Non-Partisan League

STAFFORD, Kan., Nov. 7.—Mistaking a Stafford farmer for a speaker for the non-partisan league, a mob of about 50 men entered the hall from the rear of the building, and proceeded to kidnap him. The farmer, who was named Jay McFadden, was taken to a nearby house and held there overnight. McFadden had no connection with the league, and was brought back to his home this morning.

ORGANIZER FORCED TO GO

Foster Decides Not to Speak at
Johnstown—Committee at Work

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Nov. 7.—W. Z. Foster, secretary of the national anti-league platform, decided tonight that he would not speak at the Johnstown meeting of the anti-league platform, having announced earlier in his campaign, both before the primary and after his nomination, that he opposed the league covenant.

The fifth congressional district, composed of Oklahoma, Payne, Logan, Cleveland, McGinnis, Garvin and Murray counties, is normally democratic, and the anti-league platform, having announced earlier in his campaign, both before the primary and after his nomination, that he opposed the league covenant.

HUGO HAASE DIES OF WOUND

German Socialist Leader Succumbs to
Assassination Attack.

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—Hugo Haase, president of the independent socialist party, died this morning from wounds received October 8, when he was shot three times when entering the Reichstag building.

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DRY AMENDMENTUnofficial Returns Give
Majority of 207 on
Federal Law.

NEED OFFICIAL TALLY

Tabulation Will Start on
Monday—Other Questions
Accepted as Decided.

DRYS VICTORS IN KENTUCKY

Increasing Lead Rolled Up by
Late Returns—Ritchie
Leads in Maryland.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 7.—Whether Ohio voters on Tuesday approved the state legislature's action in ratifying the federal prohibition amendment, will be determined only by the official count of the votes cast. Complete official and unofficial returns from 36 of the 88 counties, less seven precincts, complied by the secretary of state, show a wet majority of 2,163 against the proposal. Newspaper returns from the two counties which give dry majorities in those counties of 1919 which would reduce the wet majority to only 204.

If the missing seven precincts give dry majorities equal to last year's statistics, the figure that the apparent wet majority will be turned into a dry majority of 83 votes, thus upholding the legislature's action in ratifying the amendment.

Secretary of State Smith, L. H. Gibson, manager of the Ohio Home White association, and James A. White, manager of the Ohio dry federation, admitted this evening that the vote is so close that only the official count will decide the result.

An official count of the vote will not be started until Monday and this morning the count of the vote is being made by the dry faction.

Interest today in the federal prohibition amendment, the other three prohibition proposals being considered as settling the 2.75 per cent beer proposal, has been increased by the fact that the dry faction has been defeated by the dry by more than 15,000. The proposal to repeal state-wide prohibition also is conceded to have been defeated by the dry by more than 30,000, while the Crabbe state prohibition enforcement act is conceded to have been defeated by the wets by approximately 25,000.

Reported discovery of an error of 2,000 votes in favor of the dry in the proposal to approve the state legislature's endorsement of the federal prohibition amendment in the county of the secretary of state's office.

WILSON SUPPORTS DEADLOCK

The plan to vote against the treaty and thus deadlock the ratification fight was declared to have been President Wilson's unqualified support. Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, the democratic leader, saw the president's declaration as a victory since Mr. Wilson returned from his speaking tour, and went over with him the entire situation surrounding the treaty in the senate. After Mr. Wilson said the executive vetoed the committee's amendments as "destructive," and advised the administration senators to stand by their support of the treaty, he asserted an aggressive opposition of acceptance of reservations which would impair the treaty, but to have shown a willingness to leave the matter of a compromise in the hands of a committee of senators, to be worked out after the deadlock stage had been reached. Mr. Wilson explained, Senator Hitchcock said, that he had sent for the administration leader to give assurance of his support of the contemplated program.

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Adoption of League

Chief Issue in Fifth
District Race Today

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 7.—The league of nations covenant will be an issue when balloting begins tomorrow to select a successor to the late Joe B. Thompson, democratic representative in congress from the fifth Oklahoma district, and Oklahoma women, voting for the first time in a congressional election, will help select the new congressman from this district.

Postmaster Claude Weaver, democratic nominee, made his appearance and approval of the league of nations and President Wilson's policies in general almost the sole plank in his campaign platform.

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Report Finding Cache

of Dynamite Hidden
Near Henryetta Mine

MUSKOGEE, Nov. 7.—A large cache of dynamite, said by national guard officers to be enough to blow up every mine in the Henryetta district, was found today hidden in the woods near Dewart, a staff correspondent's message to the Muskogee Phoenix says.

The dynamite was secreted from a camp road on Beaver path and was found in a hole in the ground. Colonel Charles E. McPherson, commanding the troops in the Henryetta district, refused tonight to discuss the matter.

Preparations are being made to open at least one strip mine in the Henryetta field Monday with convict labor.

Williams & Harvey nursery, new location 614 South Main street, phone 2344—Advt.

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WORK AT MINES
SET FOR MONDAYOperators Await Action
at Indianapolis on
Injunction.

NON-UNION MEN BACK

McAlester-Edwards Plant Re-
sumes Operations—Mexi-
cans Are Released.

PORT SMITH, Ark., Nov. 7.—In the hopes that the government's injunction suit filed in Indianapolis against the United Mine Workers to restrain the national coal strike will result in an early agreement between miners and the operators when the suit is heard at Indianapolis tomorrow, the time to begin mining coal in Oklahoma with convicts and volunteer help was today postponed until Monday. It was announced in operators' circles here today. The pits are to be operated under military control furnished by Oklahoma and are located at Howe and McCurtain, adjacent to the Arkansas line and seven miles southeast of McAlester. Convicts will be used at Howe and McAlester and volunteer help at McCurtain.

The miners at the McAlester-Edwards plant at McAlester, Okla., national guardsmen were sent to the camp returned to work today. This is a non-union mine and the largest in district No. 21.

MALESTER, Okla., Nov. 7.—General Barrett today released the two Mexicans who were arrested Monday and placed in the penitentiary pending investigation with a warning that it will be worth their liberty for a good long period should they be caught trying their persuasive powers on any more of the miners of this district.

GERMANS IN I. W. W.

New York Police Uncover Attempts
to Organize Branches Through-
out the United States.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—Country-wide attempts to organize German branches of the I. W. W. were disclosed by the police today.

Thousands of circulars have been distributed from Chicago to I. W. W. branches, announcing that a representative conference of the organization will be held in New York November 20 and work will be fully equipped with literature and application blanks in the interest of the proposed German branches. Meetings will be held wherever possible, the circular announced.

The police have obtained a copy of the circular. It is headed "The Klassenkampf" (the class war) and the text is in English. It announced that "The Klassenkampf" is a new German I. W. W. newspaper now appearing twice a month but will be published weekly beginning November 20.

The circular is signed "Yours for industrial freedom. The press committee, per Klassenkampf, German propaganda branch, I. W. W."

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FATALLY BURNED IN PLANE

Kansas City Man Taking Ride in
Plane Meets Death.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 7.—H. O. Evison, a passenger in a biplane was burned to death here today when the plane fell 50 feet and was destroyed by fire. Evison, who was making the flight at the invitation of the pilot, Ilen A. Sweeney, a commercial aviator, was unable to free himself.

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The widow of Mr. Shonts was granted temporary letters of administration upon the estate yesterday by Surrogate Fowler. She estimated that her husband left property worth nearly \$1,000,000 and declared that no will could be found although diligent search had been made. Mrs. Shonts expressed fear that the major part of the property might go to another woman.

Besides his wife Mr. Shonts left two daughters, the duchess de Chaulnes of Paris and Mrs.